

### **National Law Enforcement and Corrections Technology Center – Rocky Mountain Region**



COMPUTER ASSISTED PRE-COORDINATION RESOURCE AND DATABASE SYSTEM





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## The Need for INFORMATION

The Pre-coordination database for 700 MHz frequencies was built for Regional Planning Committees at the request of:

The PSCC (Public Safety Communications Council)
Coordinators

- AASHTO (American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials)
- APCO (Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials-International, Inc.)
- FCCA (Forestry Conservation Communications Association)
- IMSA (International Municipal Signal Association)

NPSTC (National Public Safety Telecommunications Council)

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Expansion and Enhancement of the database has occurred at the request of:

- The Regional Planning Committees
- Statewide Interoperability Planning Committees
- Users from across the country

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### Who has access to the database?

- Regional Planning Committees
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  - APCO (Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials-International, Inc.)
  - FCCA (Forestry Conservation Communications Association)
  - IMSA (International Municipal Signal Association)
- Statewide Interoperability Executive Committees (SIEC)
- Applicants / Proxy
- Authorized special users
- Public [view only in 700 MHz planning module]

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## How is the database used?

- Frequency Pre-allotment (700MHz; 4.9 GHz; Interoperability channels)
  - National plan for proposed spectrum pre-allotment (700 MHz)
  - Modification options based on specific regional needs
- Development of State or Regional Plans
  - Assist in selection of "usable" frequencies
  - Resources for planning and managing the public safety spectrum
  - Accessible "living matrix" of planned channel use
  - Storage of Regional Planning documents
  - Mapping of planned usage and licensed sites
- Application for Frequency Use
  - FCC 601 forms
  - Attachments library
- Communications Assets Inventory
  - Inventory management / tracking
  - Attachments library

### What capabilities and features are included?

- Web Site Access
  - Informational front page
  - Secure Access for Registered Users
  - Defined User Privileges
- Interactive Relational Databases
- Frequency Availability "Notebook"
- Interface to PSCC Automated Systems (via ftp)
  - Electronic Batch Format (EBF) protocol for data transfer
  - Nightly Data Comparison and Update

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# What capabilities and features are included? (continued)

- On-Line Help Facilities
  - On-line users manual, context sensitive help, "frequently asked questions", planning resource documents/templates
- Supplemental Information Storage
  - Regional / State Frequency Plans
  - Lists of Television Channels with Potential Impact
  - Final FCC Report and Order Frequency Table
  - RPC Chairpersons and Other Contacts
  - RPC Frequency Limitations by Region and Adjacent Region



## System Features

- **Graphical User Interface**
- Standard and ad hoc report capabilities
  - System Usage
  - Other Reports
- 24x7 operation
  - UPS
  - Mirrored Operation
  - Failsafe transfer to backup system
- Automated System and Data Backup
- Multi-Level Security



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## CAPRAD /S:

A tool to facilitate regional planning.

An instrument to support inter-regional communications.

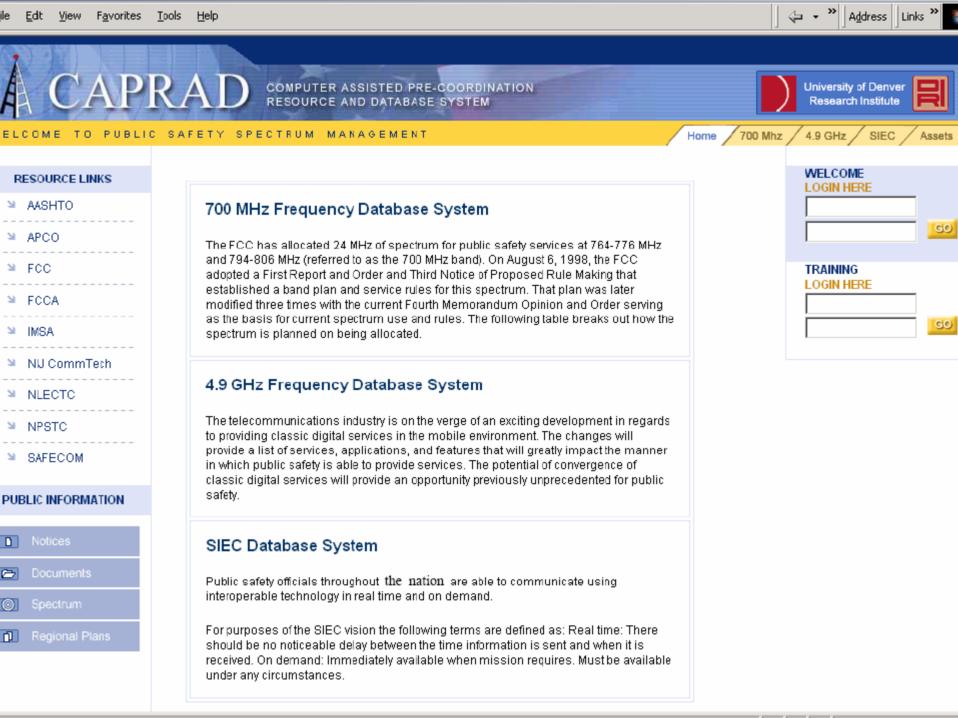
A means to enhance inter-regional cooperation.



## CAPRAD IS NOT:

- A replacement for careful regional planning.
- A substitute for inter-regional communications.
- A substitute for inter-regional cooperation.
- Magic
  - it can only do what it is told to do with the information you give it.
- Self Maintaining
  - The Regional Planning Committee is the PRIMARY data manager and user.
  - YOU must ensure data is updated and correct.







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**PLANNING** 

**APPLICATIONS** 

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#### RESOURCE LINKS

#### AASHTO

APCO

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FCCA

IMSA

NU CommTech

NLECTC

NPSTC

SAFECOM

#### SITES OF INTEREST

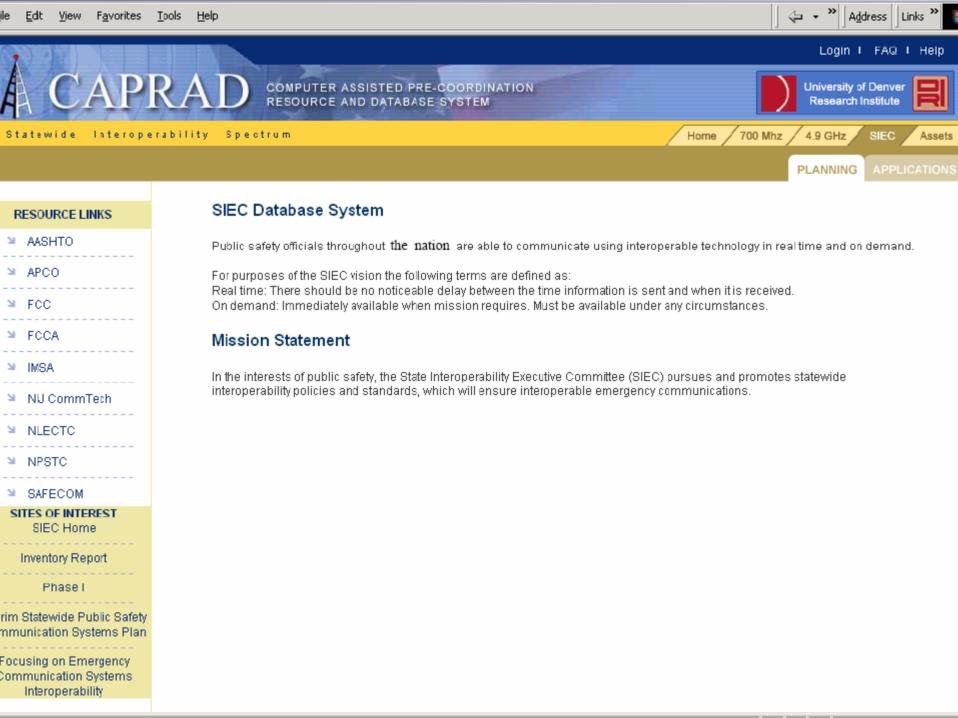
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#### 700 MHz Frequency Database System

The FCC has allocated 24 MHz of spectrum for public safety services at 764-776 MHz and 794-806 MHz (referred to as the 700 MHz band). On August 6, 1998, the FCC adopted a First Report and Order and Third Notice of Proposed Rule Making that established a band plan and service rules for this spectrum. That plan was later modified three times with the current Fourth Memorandum Opinion and Order serving as the basis for current spectrum use and rules. The following table breaks out how the spectrum is planned on being allocated.

Designated Purpose	Amount of Spectrum	Narrowband (6.25 kHZ)	WideBand (50kHZ)
General Use	125 MHz	7.7 MHz	4.8 MHz
	(52.1%)	(1232 Channels)	(96 Channels)
Interoperability	2.6 MHz	0.8 MHz	1.8 MHz
	(10.8%)	(128 Channels)	(36 Channels)
Secondary Trunking	0.2 MHz (0.8%)	0.2 MHz (32 Channels)	-0-
State License	2.4 MHz (10.0%)	2.4 MHz (384 Channels)	-0-
Low Power	0.3 MHz (1.3%)	0.3 MHz (48 Channels)	-0-
Reserve	6.0 MHz	0.6 MHz	5.4 MHz
	(25.0%)	(96 Channels)	(108 Channels)
Total	24 MHz	12 MHz	12 MHz
	(100%)	(1920 Channels)	(240 Channels)









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#### RESOURCE LINKS

- AASHTO
- APCO
- FCC
- FCCA IMSA
- NU CommTech
- NLECTC
- NPSTC
- SAFECOM

#### SITES OF INTEREST

HS: Information Analysis & Infrastructure Protection

Executive Order: Asset Management

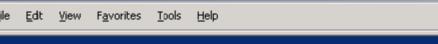
#### Assets Management Database System

Public agencies are under ever-increasing pressure to provide more infrastructure for growing populations while dealing with tighter and tighter budgets. To do both successfully requires:

- · An accurate, easily understood picture of the assets needed
- · Design and construction costs
- · Current condition and maintenance schedules
- · Repair or replacement expenses

#### Mission Statement

To build a reliable assets image in order to realize the greatest return on investment of public funds, you need a solid foundation of precisely gathered and intelligently analyzed data.



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**PLANNING** 

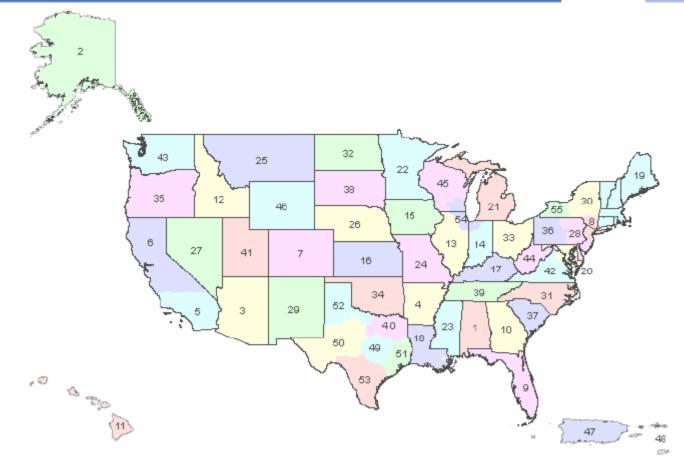
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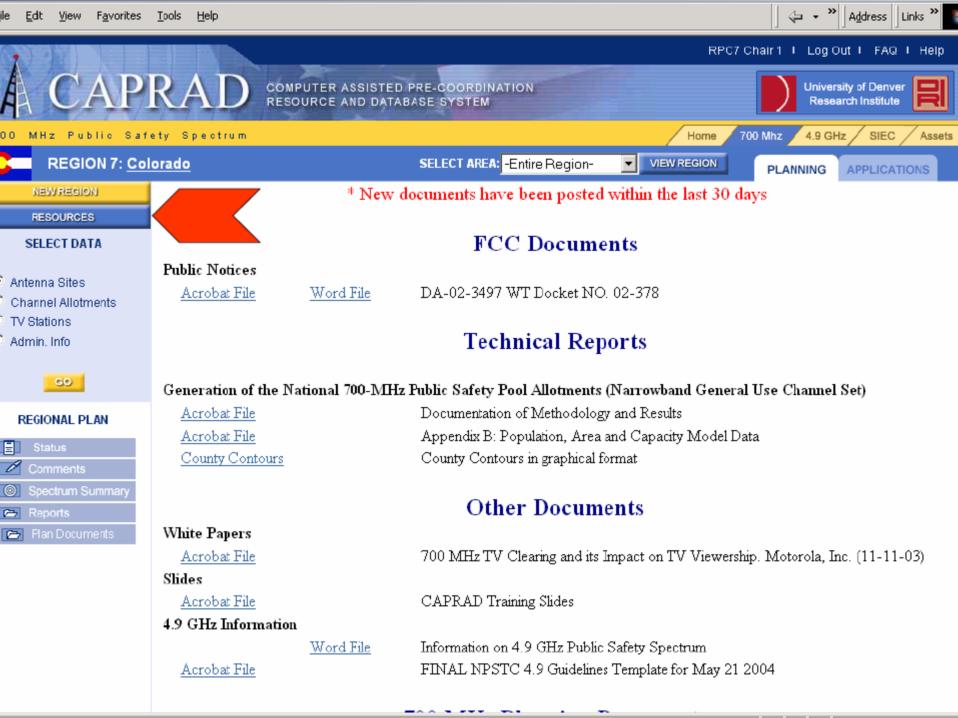
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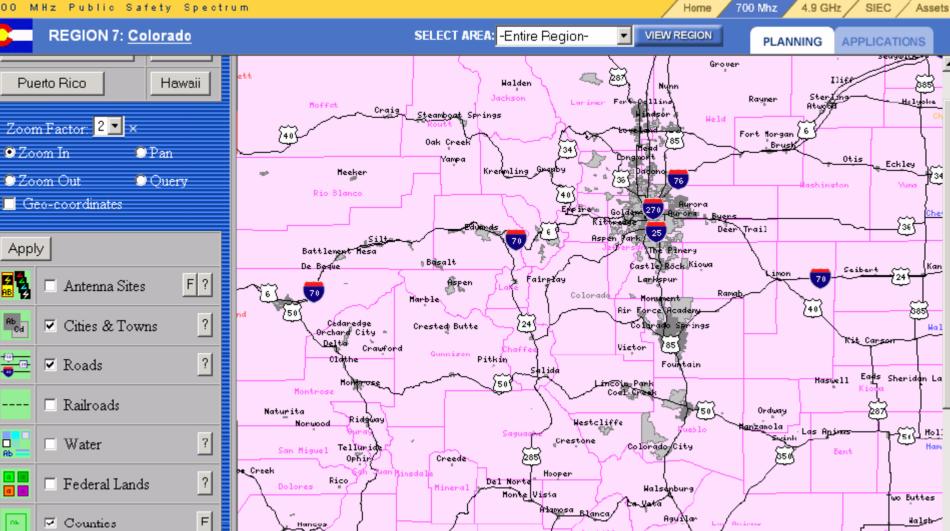
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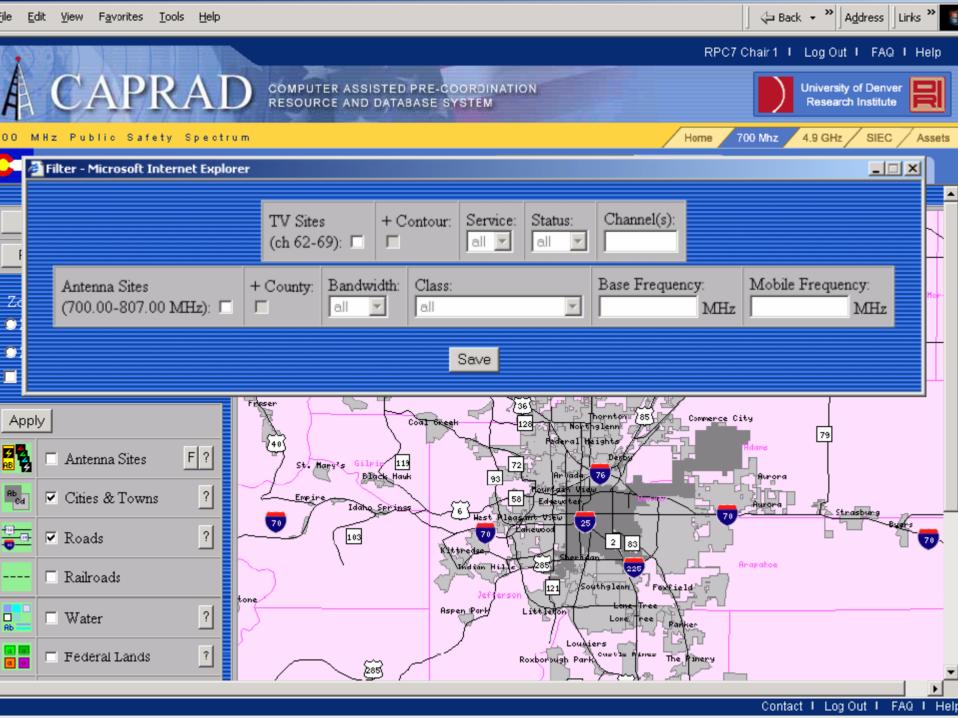


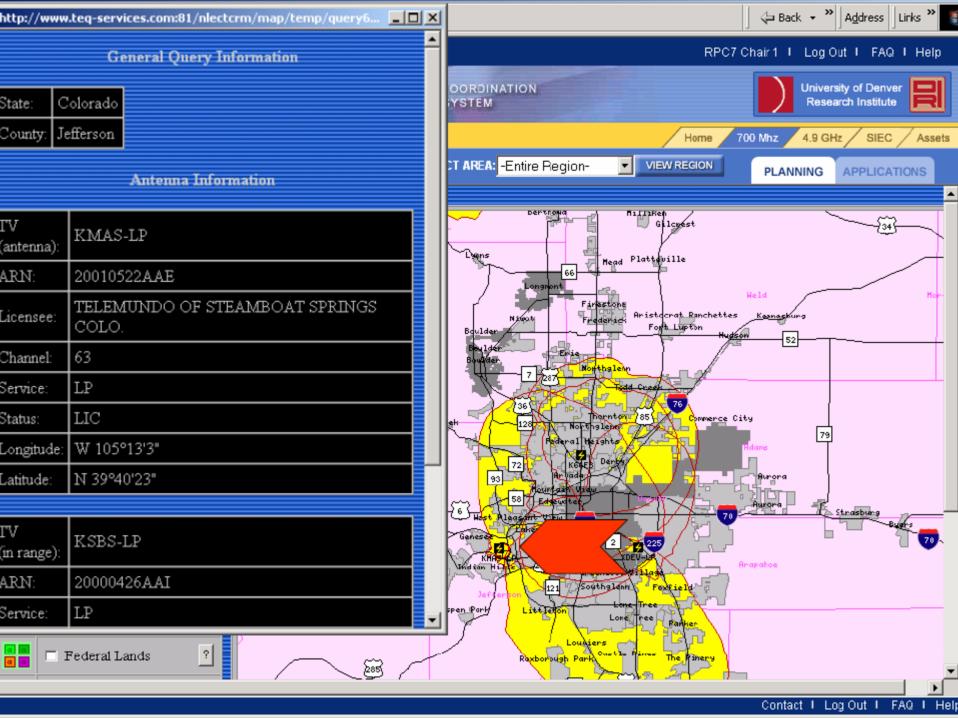


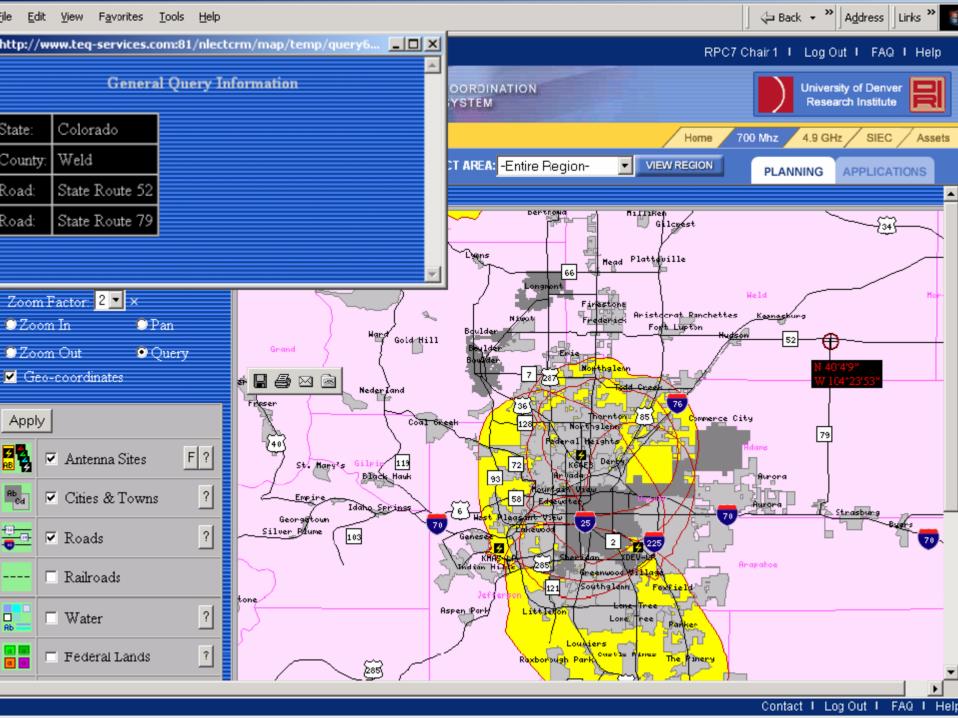


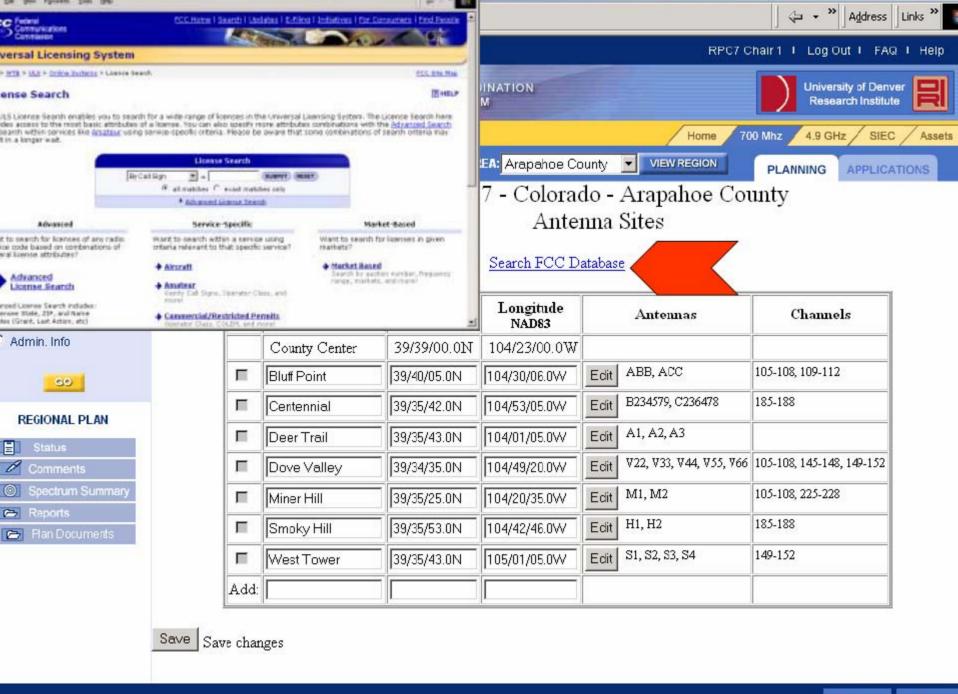


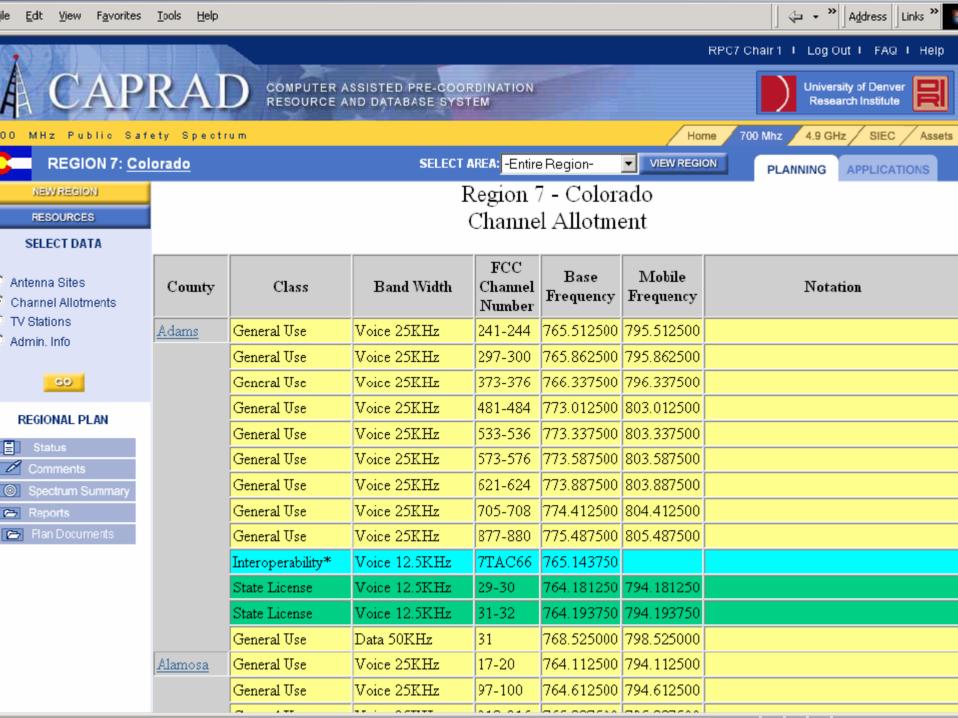
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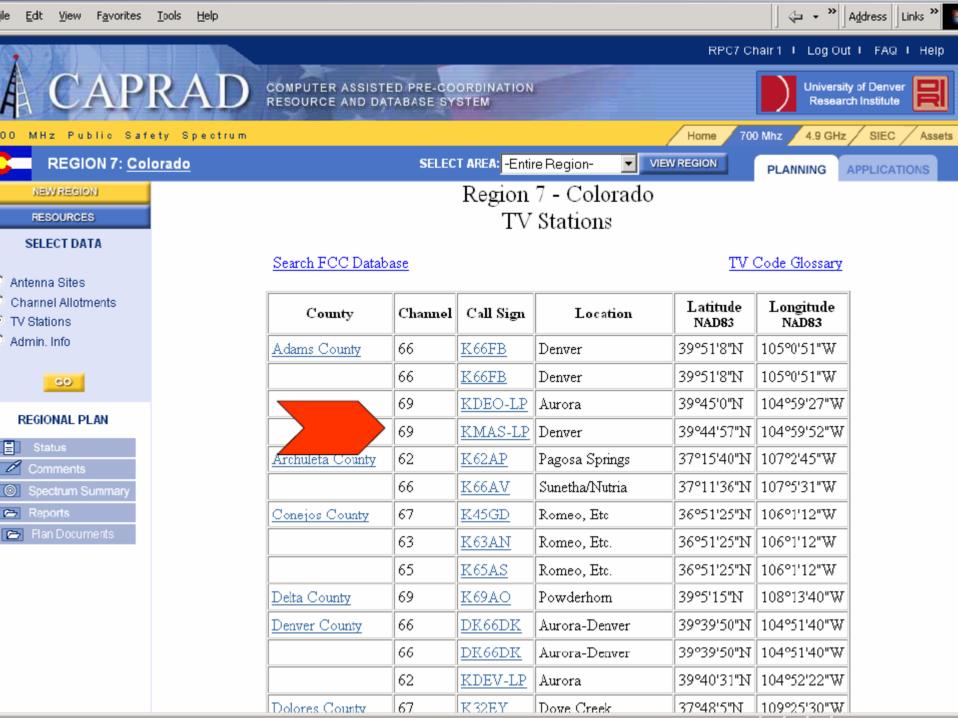


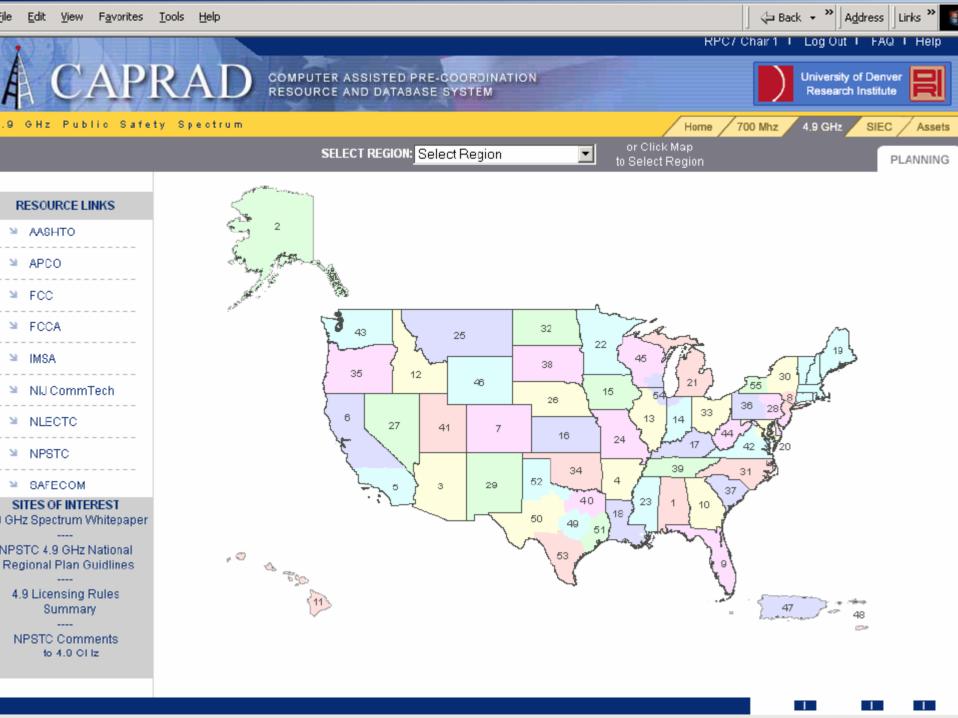


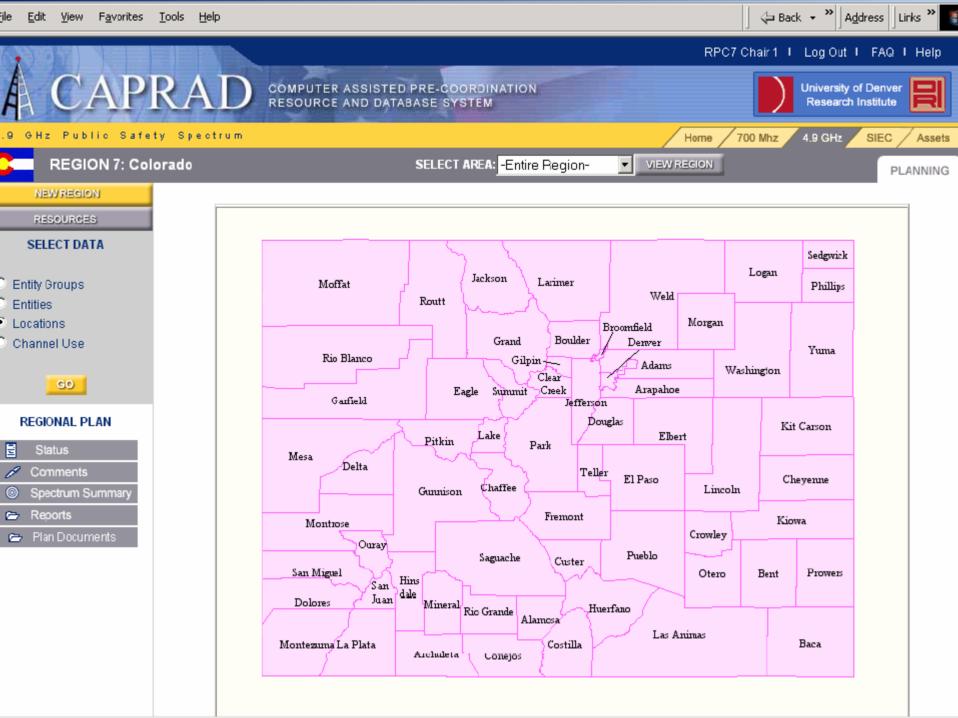


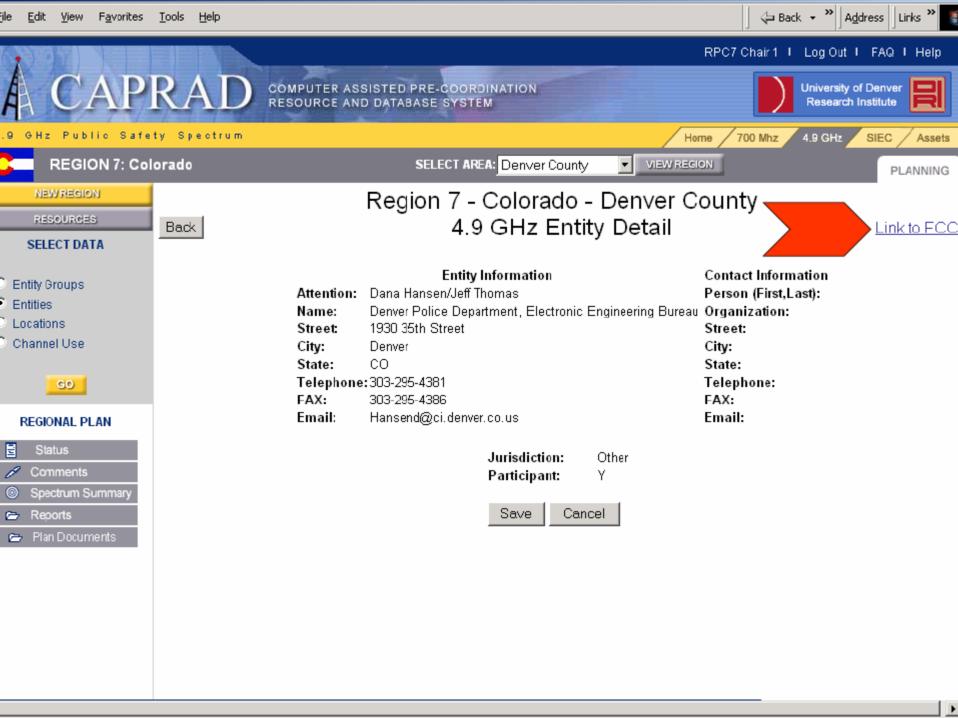


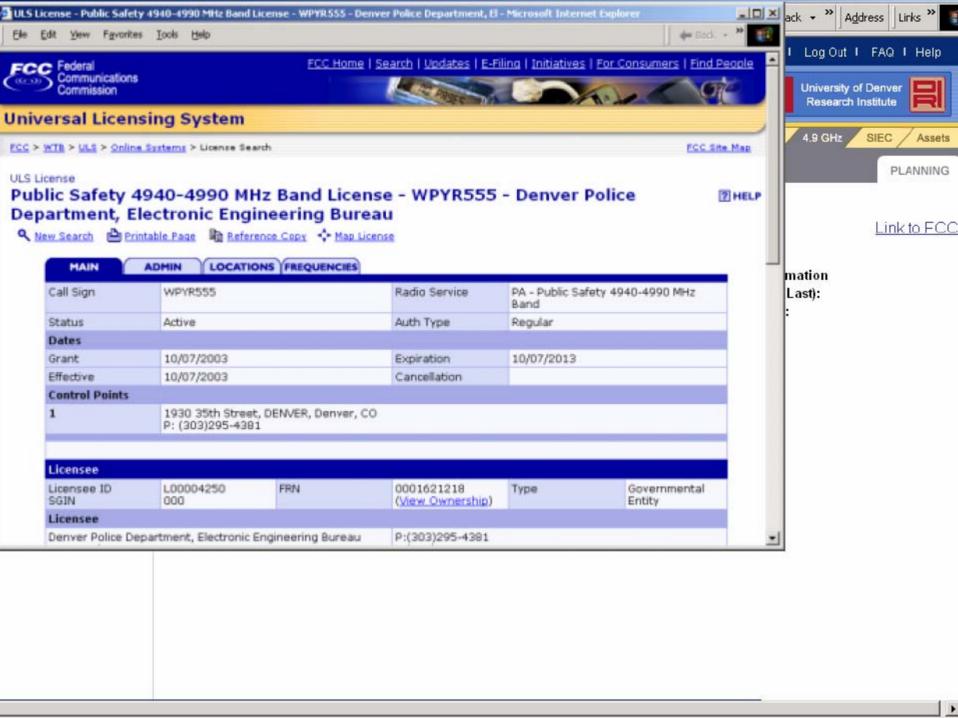


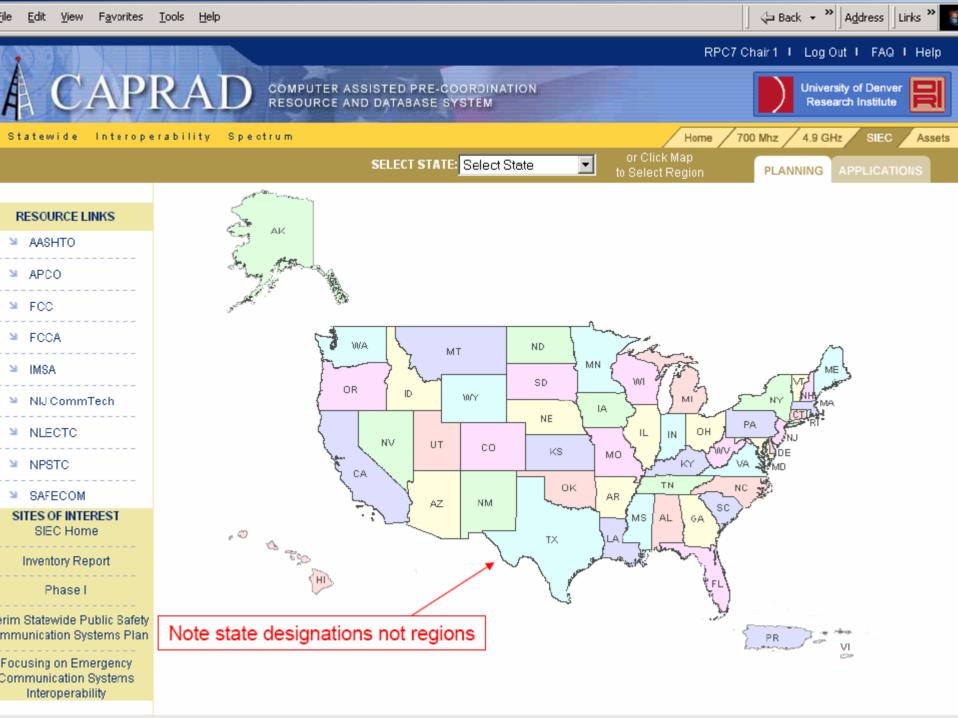


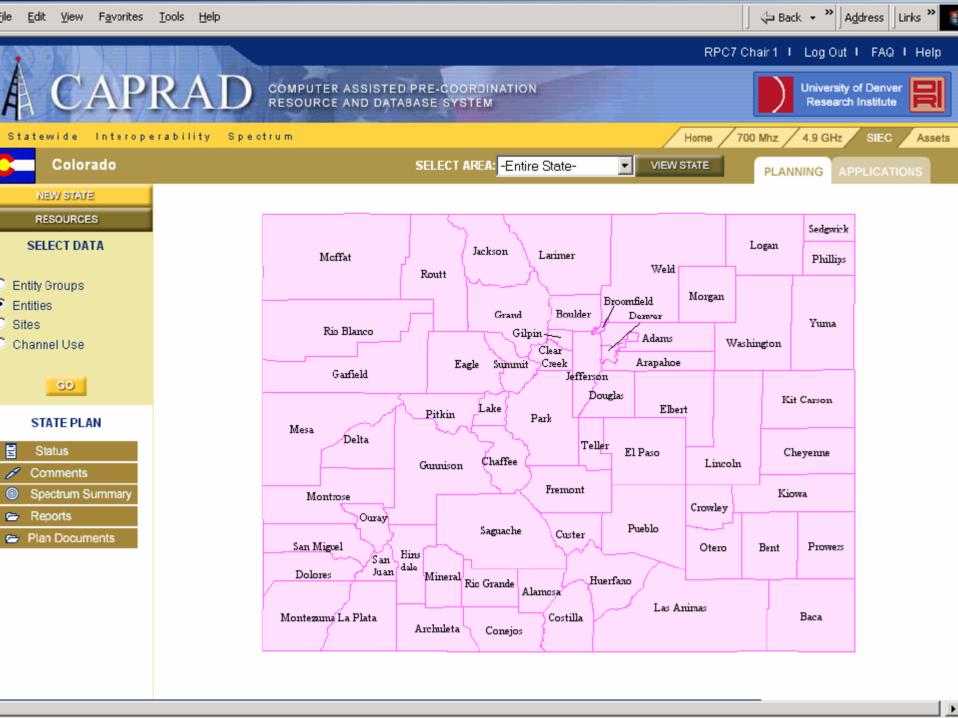


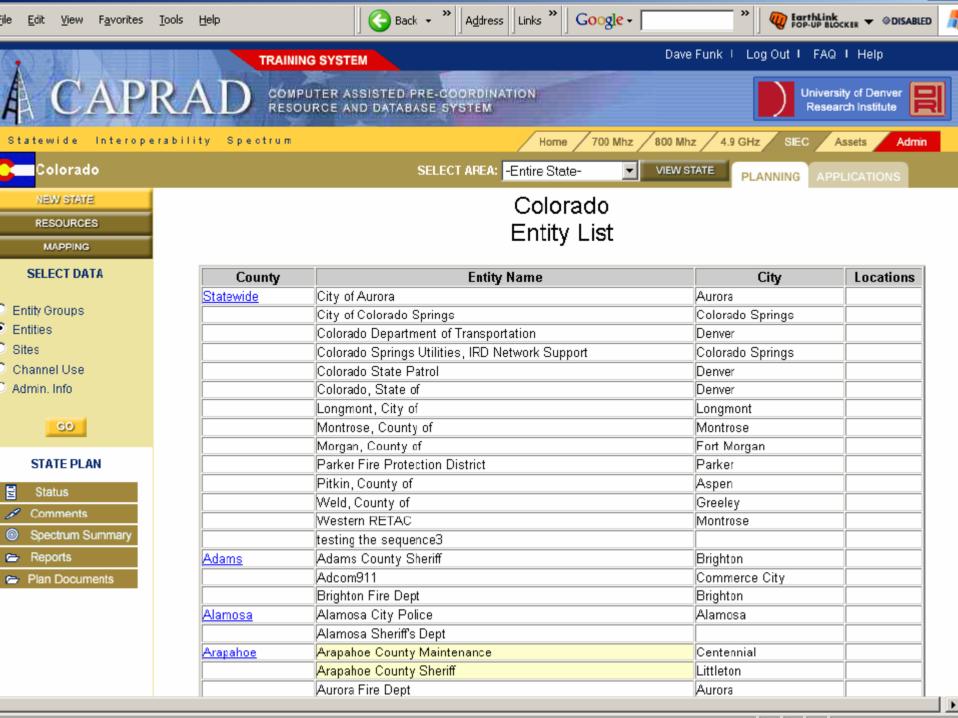


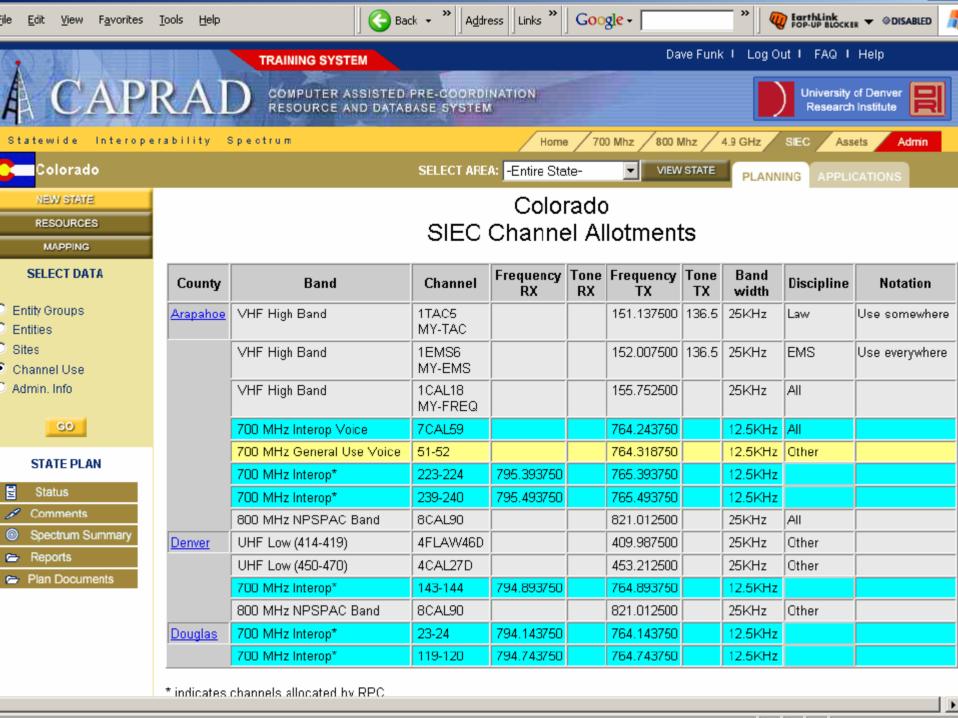


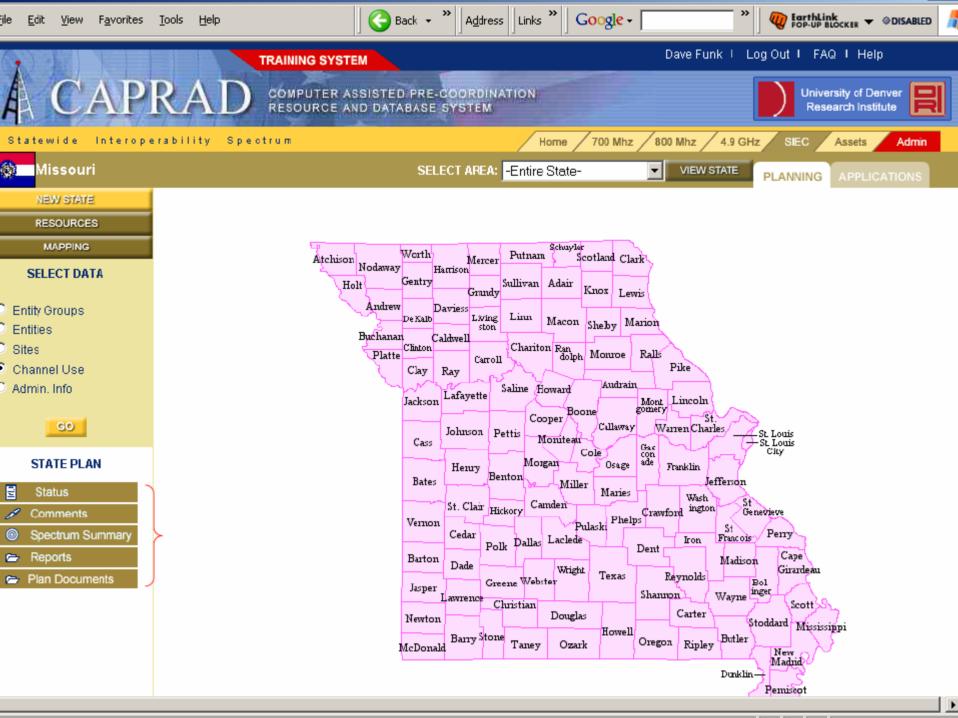


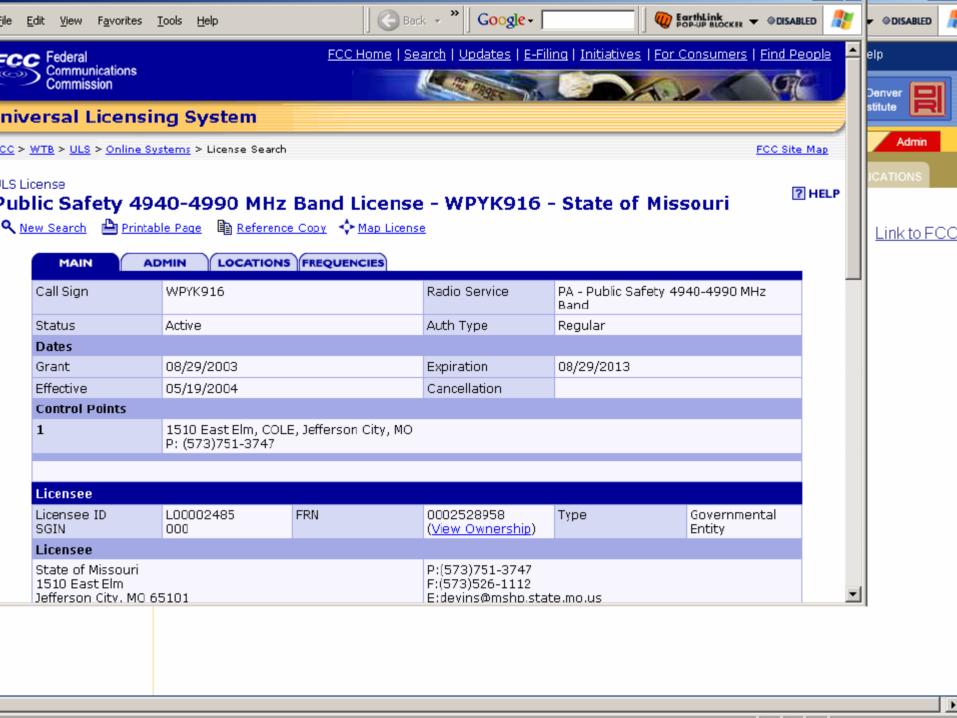


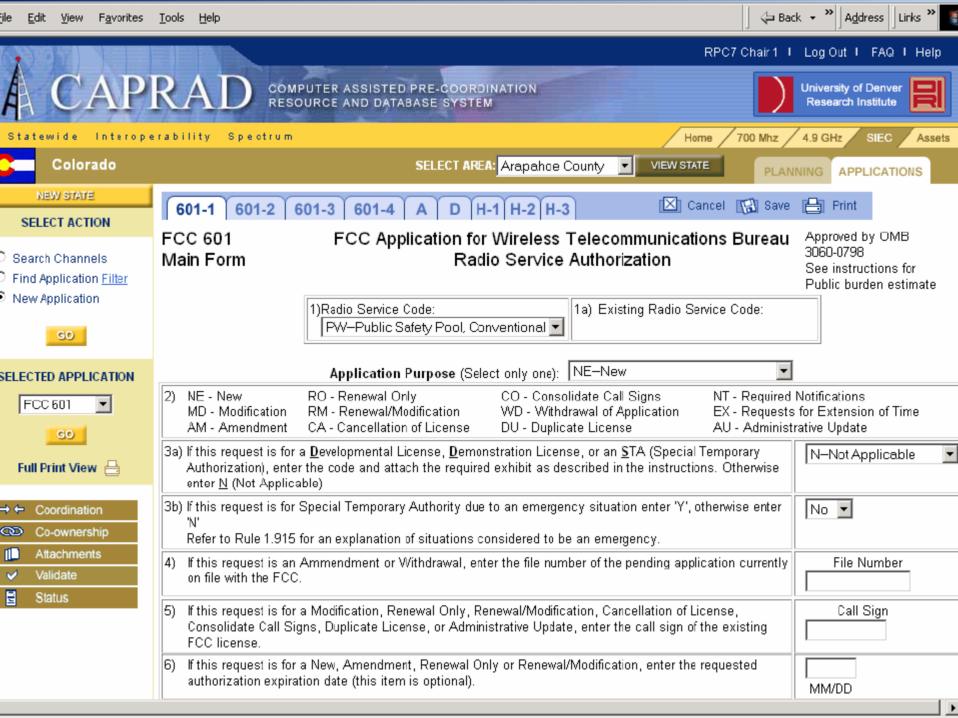














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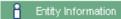
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NEW STATE

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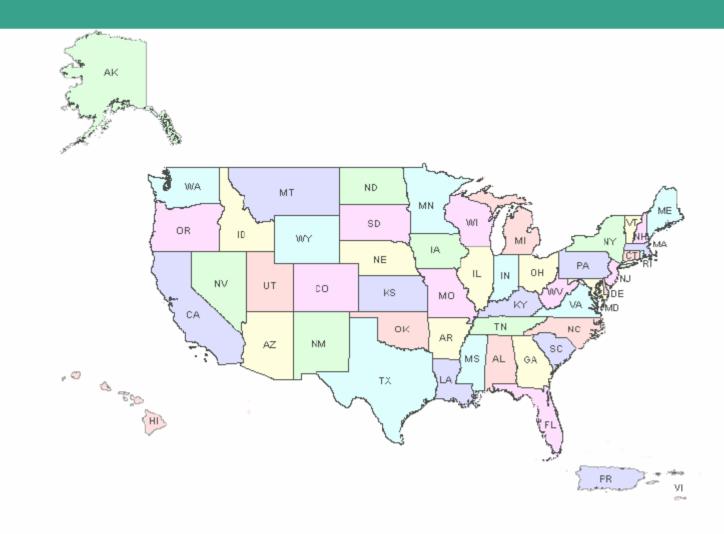


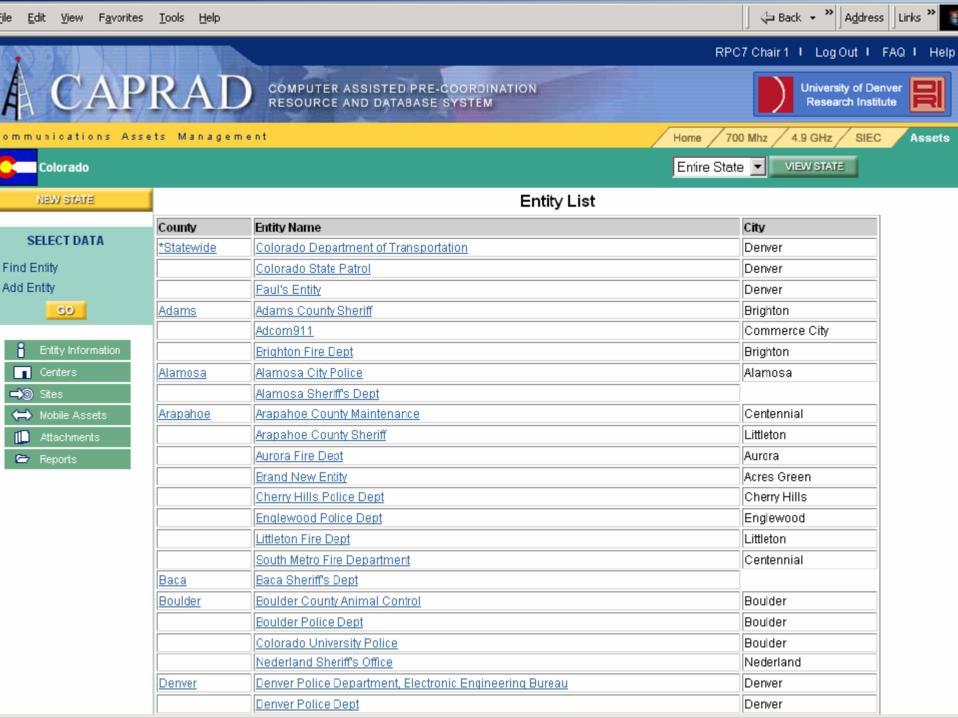
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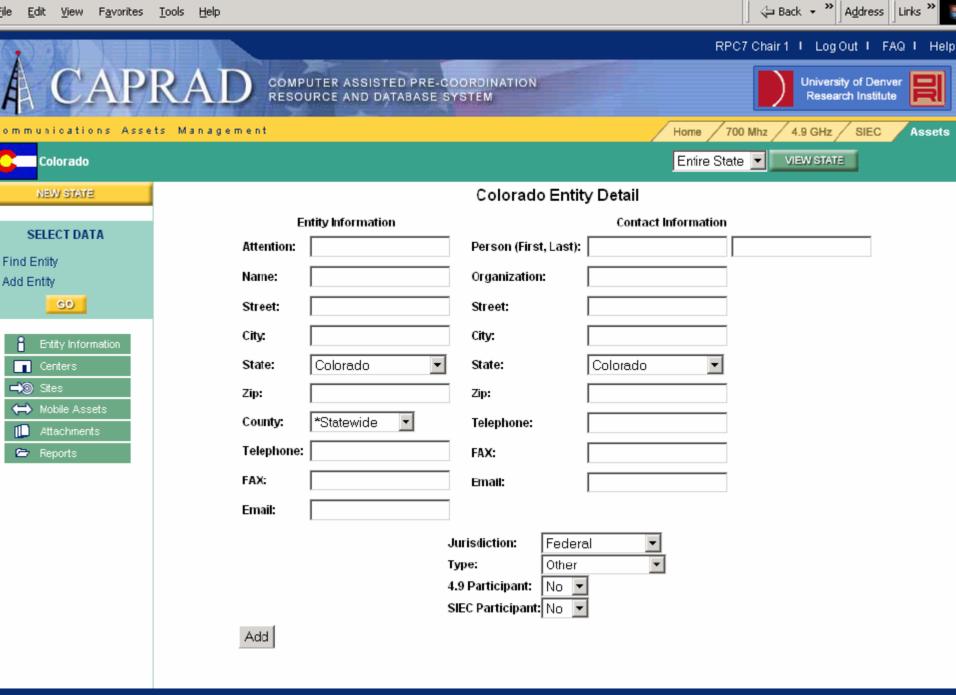
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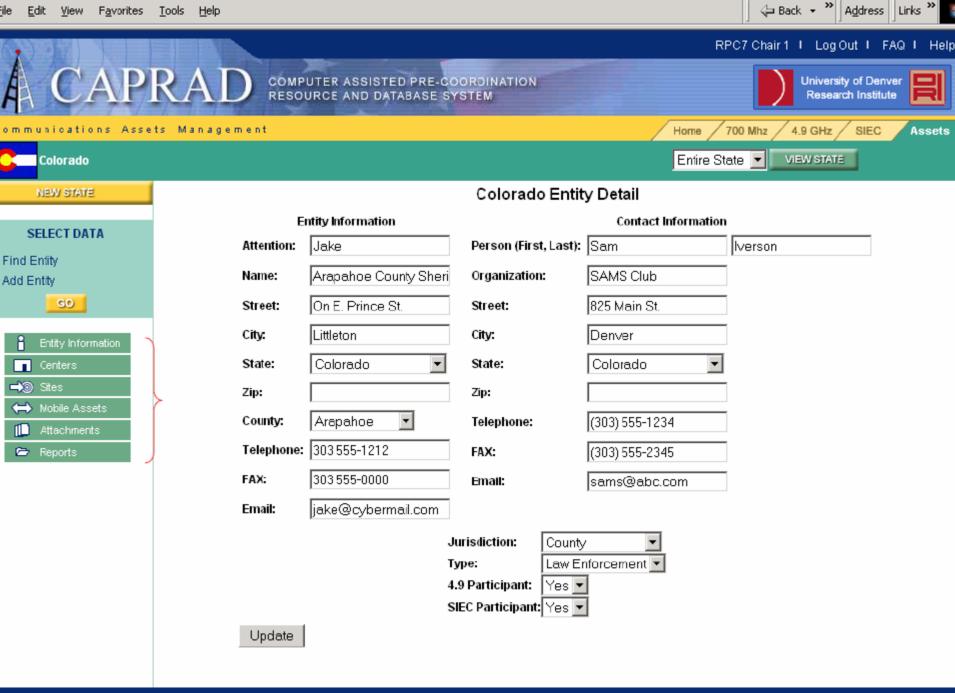
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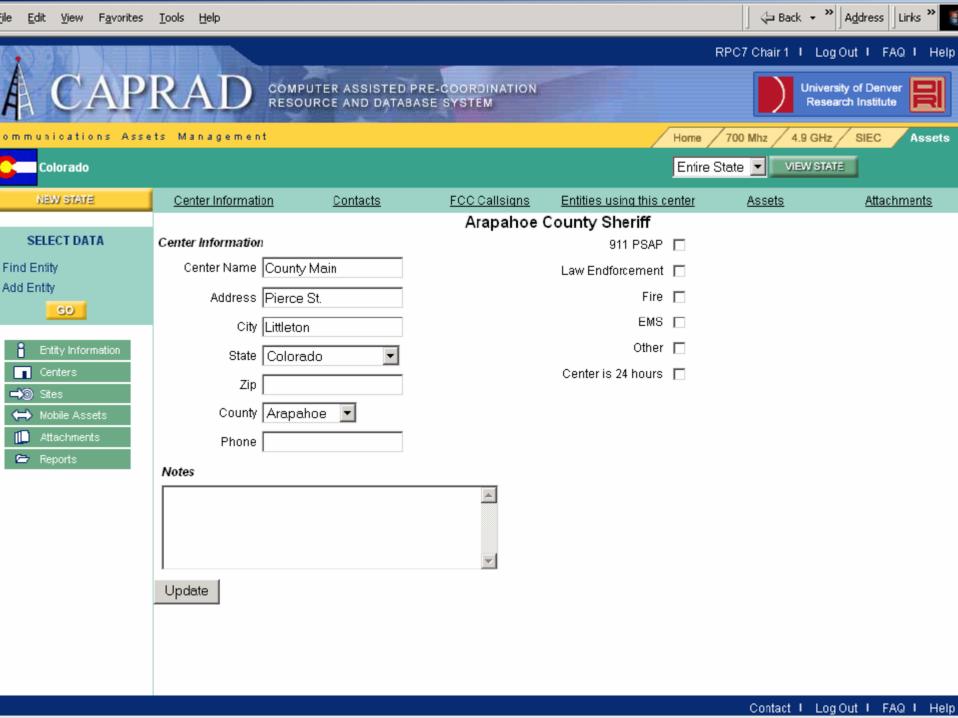
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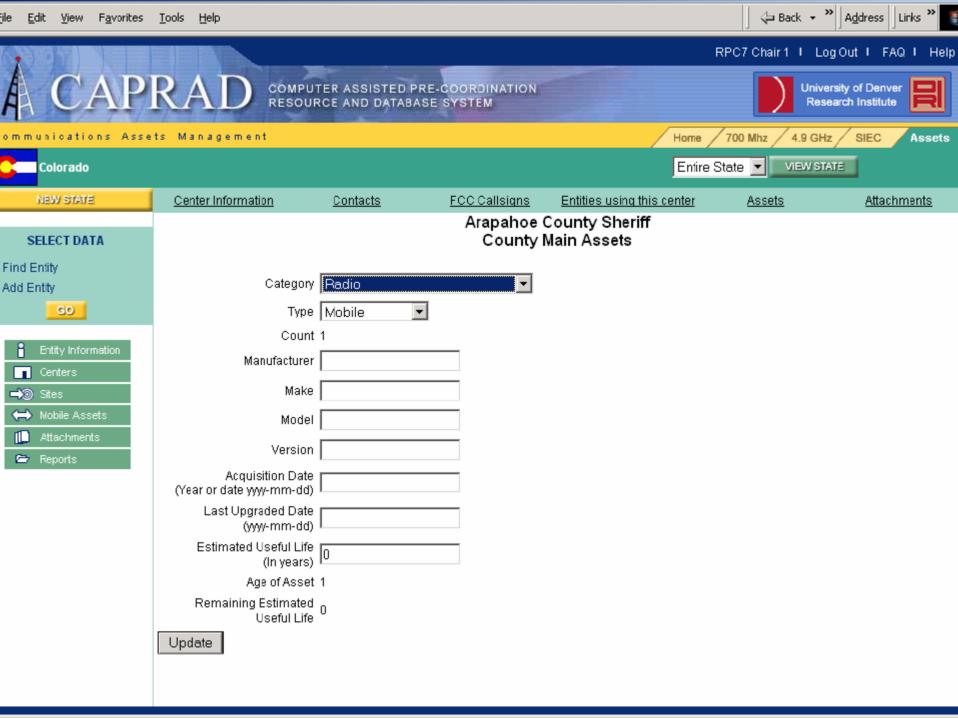


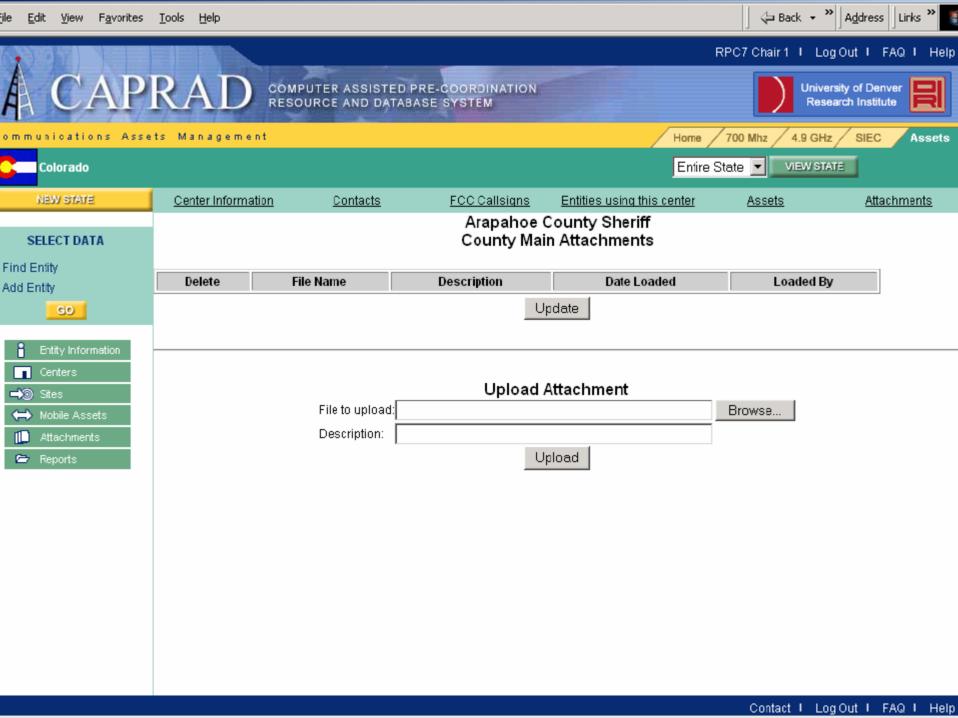


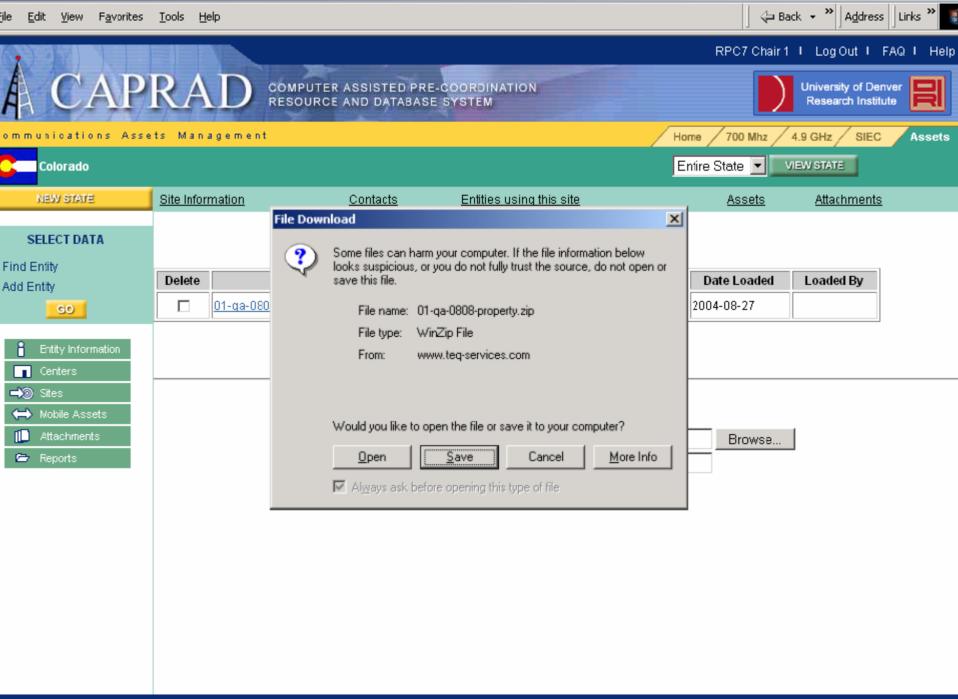


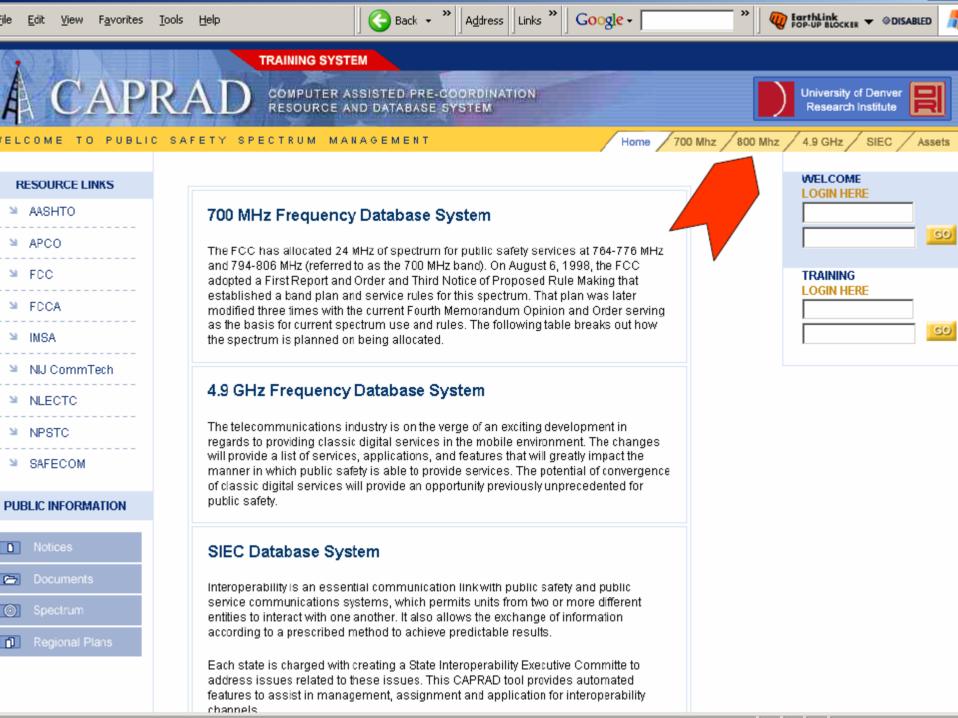


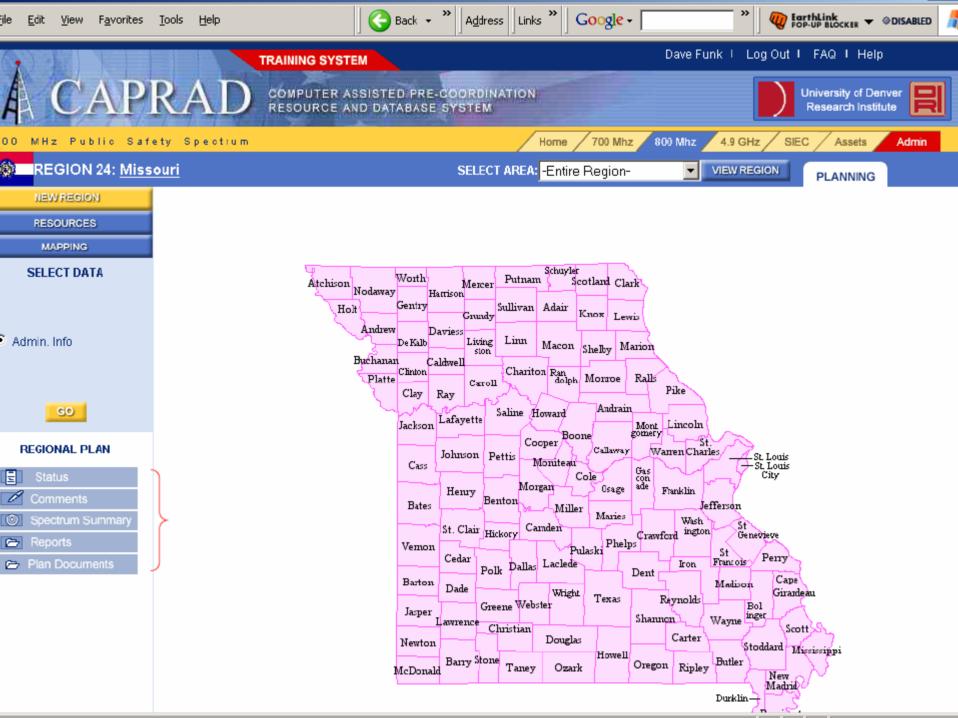


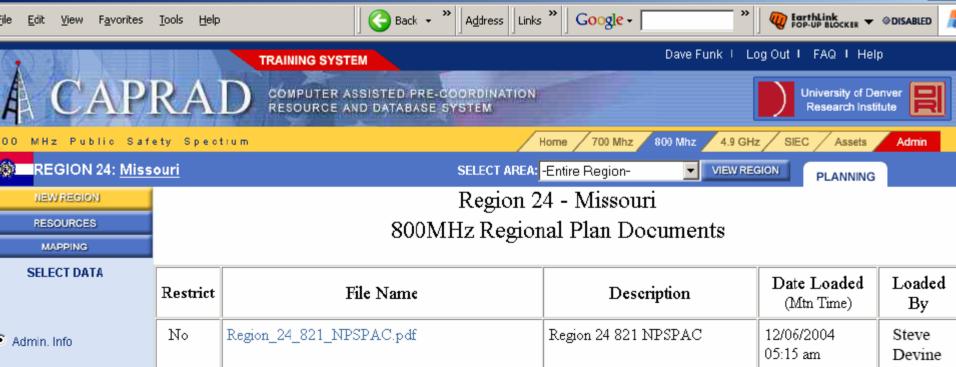












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